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The Honorable Peter DeFazio  
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U.S. House of Representatives  
2134 Rayburn House Office Building  
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Sam Graves  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Transportation and  
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U.S. House of Representatives  
1135 Longworth House Office Building  
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Dear Chair DeFazio and Ranking Member Graves:

I am requesting funding for significant improvements to Lake Shore Drive in surface transportation reauthorization legislation.

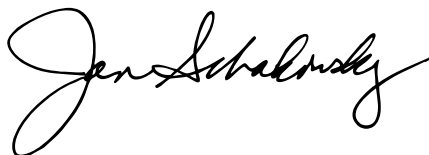
The project sponsor for this project is City of Chicago and the project is located along Lake Shore Drive between N Lake Shore Drive at W Hollywood Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, 60060, and N Lake Shore Drive at E Grand Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60611.

The funding is designated for design of near-term recommendations from the North Lake Shore Drive (Grand Avenue to Hollywood Avenue) Project. These improvements include construction of proposed improvements along Broadway (Foster to Devon) to implement the Northern Terminus Traffic Study Recommendations through the reconstruction of the roadway and inclusion of new bicycle, pedestrian and transit improvements.

The project is an appropriate use of taxpayer dollars and is anticipated to modernize an important arterial roadway, improving safety, access, and infrastructure.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,



Jan Schakowsky  
Member of Congress